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K Edward III King of England

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*Inventory of Crown Jewels, 3 Edw. III. From a Record  
in the Exchequer, communicated by Craven Ord, Esq.  
F. A. S. Dec. 9, 1790.*

INDENTURA facta inter D'um Ric'm de Bury nup' custodem  
Garderobe D'ni Regis E. Tercij post Conquestum & Mag'r'm  
Thomam de Garton succendentem eidem in eodem officio, de  
jocalibus, vessellamentis auri & argenti, & alijs, remanentibus in  
eadem Garderoba, & lib' eidem Mag'ro Thome p' d'm D'um  
Ric'm apud Gloucestr' 24 die Septembr' anno regni ejusdem  
D'ni n'r'i regis tercio, quo die idem Mag'r Thom' suscepit dictum  
officium, videl't,

De jocalibus receptis de D'no Roberto de Wodehous nup'  
custode ejusdem Garderobe p' Indenturam, videlicet,

		L. s. d.
Nuch' [a] auri rotund' cum 4 perlis 2 admirald' [b] & 3 rubett' de empt' garder'	} precij,	26 8
36 Coclear' arg' alba plan' sign' in parte exteriori de quodam leo- pardo,	} precij,	59 10
3 Coclear' arg' plan' fine signo,	precij,	3 8

[a] An ouche, a gold stud or setting for jewels. In the Inventory of Henry V's jewels plate, &c. Rot. Parl. IV. 210. is a gold nouche in form of a rose  
set with sapphires.

[b] Emeralds.

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Aquar\*



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	<i>L.</i> <i>s.</i> <i>d.</i>
Aquar arg' deaur' & ayme' [c] p' partes extra aym' in fundo infra & camoc' [d] infra,	} pond' 2 marc 7 unc' di' precij, 55 3
Ciphus argenti de eadem secta,	} pond' 4 marc' 3 unc' 6d. prec'. 102
Ciphus argenti de eadem secta,	} pond' 4 marc' 33d. prec' 4 17 1
Due pelves arg' deaur' & ingratav' in fundo de ymag' sc'i salvator' dat' D'no Regi p' decanum [e] eccl'ie sancti Petri Ebor' ibidem 28 die Maij,	} pond' utriusque 5 marc' di'
Una pelvis arg' deaur' p' totum & aym' in fundo de arm' regis, cum tuello dat' d'no regi p' ep'm Linc' [f].	} pond' 4 11 5½
Una pelvis cons' [g] cum tuello dat' regi p' eundem ep'm,	} pond' 4 9 1
Ciphus arg' deaur' dupPLIC' tall' [b] & aym' extra in loseng' de arm' Angl' & Francie & infra in fundo & cooperculo, dat' regi p' merca- tores de societate Bardorum [i],	} pond' 7 16 3
	Olla

(d) 9  
[c] Enamelled. [d] *Camoca*, a sort of silk or velvet. Du Cange.

[e] Robert Pickering, 1312—1332.

[f] Henry Burghersh, 1320—1343.

[g] Confamilis.

[b] Q. double intaglia.

[i] The *Corfni*: a set of Italian merchants, infamous for usurious contracts particularly in France, whence our kings drove them out by repeated laws and statutes. Of those issued by the king of France the most famous is an edict of St. Louis 1268, permitting them to act as merchants, provided they did not practice usury, and another of Philip le Hardi 1346. Mathew Paris speaks of them as

1 Edw. p XXII

I don't understand how Silk or Velvet can fly in any of these cases

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*L. s. d.*

Olla arg' de secta ejusdem ciphi dat' regi p' eosdem mercatores,	pond'	o 50 9
Una tuba arg' cum duabus boc' [k] arg' deaur' & sign' de diversis arm' videlt' j de arm' regis Angl' com' Lanc' & Warrene' sc'e Etheldr' Elien & ... Epi Elien' & alia de arm' Rob'ti de Wa-	pond.]	o 66 1
tevill & aliorum magnatum si- mul cum casula de corio ferro ligat' & serur' dat' regi p' ep'm Elien' [l] apud Linc' 16 die Sept'. anno primo, - - -		
Ciphus arg' deaur' chisell' extra & aym' in fundo & in summo cooperculi, - - -	pond' 43. prec'	4 6 0
Ciphus arg' alb' cum pede & cooperculo aym' in pomello de 6 leopardis, - - -	pond'	4 5 2
Ciphus arg' plat' alb' sign' de uno leopardo parvo extra in fundo, - - -	pond'	o 17 11

as a public nuisance in England in the middle of the 13th century. Henry II. expelled them, but by the interference of the Pope re admitted them, and soon after in 1251 drove them away again. They were one division of the *Lombards*, by which general name the Italian merchants, who lent money were distinguished all over Europe, but divided into societies or companies called from the head of the firm or house, *Amanati*, *Accaioiuli*, *Bardi*, *Corfini*, *Caor-  
cini*, *Caufini*, or *Cawarfini*. Du Cange voc. *Caorcini*. Rymer, IV. 463, has preserved a recommendation from Edward III. 1331, to David king of Scotland, to repay on his account to certain merchants of the society of *Bardi* at Florence 1000 out of 1300 marks due to him from David's father Robert.

[k] *Q. boccis*, mouth pieces.

[l] John Hotham, 1316—1337.

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Duo

		<i>L. s. d.</i>
Duo ciphi cons'	pond cujuslibet,	0 18 1
4 Ciphi arg' cons'	pond' cujuslibet,	0 17 9
7 Ciphi argenti cons'	pond' cujuslibet,	0 18 0
Unus ciphis arg' cons'	pond'	0 17 8
Duo ciphi arg' plat' sign' extra in fundo de uno leopardo,	{ pond' cujuslibet,	0 14 1
Ciphis arg' cons'	pond'	0 13 10
Duo ciphi arg' cons'	pond' cujuslibet,	0 14 3½
Duo ciphi arg' plat' sign' extra in fundo de uno scuch' de arm'	{ pond' cujuslibet,	0 12 4
Angl' - - - -		
Ciphis arg' plat' cons'	pond'	0 12 11
Ciphis arg' plat' cons'	pond'	0 12 10
Ciphis arg' plat' cons'	pond'	0 13 11
Ciphis arg' cons'	pond'	0 14 1
Ciphis arg' cons'	pond'	0 14 5
Duo ciphi arg cons'	pond' cujuslibet,	0 14 4
Duo ciphi arg' cons'	pond' cujuslibet,	0 13
Ciphis arg' cons'	pond'	0 14 3
Olla arg' magna de una lag', vetus & fracta sign' in cooperculo de arm' Angl'	{ pond'	7 6 11
Olla arg' cons'	pond'	7 8 5
Olla arg' cum cooperculo de 3 quarter' p' estimaco'em cum uno leopardo in tenone [m],	{ pond'	112 0
Olla arg' cons'	pond'	118 4

[m] In the Inventory of Henry V's Wardrobe are "Pottes jalones (gallon pots) d' argentz covertz signez avec libard en les bandelles."

Pelvis

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Pelvis arg' cum 1 scuch' de arm'	} pond'	4	8	3
Angl' in fundo, - - -				
Pelvis argenti conf'	pond'	4	7	10
Pelvis argenti conf'	pond'	4	7	6
Pelvis argenti conf'	pond'	4	8	1
Aquar' arg' cum' tuello de arm'	} pond'	0	59	5
Angl' in cooperculo.				
Aquar' argenti conf'	pond'	0	58	10
Aquar' argenti conf'	pond'	0	59	8
Pelvis arg' pro capella deaur' in	} pond'	0	38	7
fundo & bordur'				
Pelvis argenti conf'	pond'	0	40	1
30 disci arg' sign' cum leopardo	} pond' cujuslibet,	0	28	4
extra in fundo,				
6 disci argenti conf'	pond' cujuslibet,	0	27	2
29 disci argenti conf'	pond' cujuslibet,	0	28	2
57 disci argenti conf'	pond' cujuslibet,	0	23	0
3 disci argenti conf'	pond' cujuslibet,	0	27	0
7 disci argenti conf'	pond' cujuslibet,	0	27	9
2 disci argenti conf'	pond' cujuslibet,	0	28	8
Unus discus arg' conf'	pond'	0	26	11
11 disci argenti conf'	pond' cujuslibet,	0	27	8
Unus discus arg' conf'	pond'	0	26	8
8 disci argenti conf'	pond' cujuslibet,	0	27	11
Unus discus arg' conf'	pond'	0	28	7
Unus discus arg' conf'	pond'	0	26	2
Unus discus arg' conf'	pond'	0	25	10
Unus discus arg' conf'	pond'	0	26	10
3 disci argenti conf'	pond' cujuslibet,	0	27	7
4 disci argenti conf'	pond' cujuslibet,	0	27	1

Discus

		£. s. d.
Discus arg' magnus pro interfcul'		
sign' extra in fundo de uno leo-	pond'	0 54 11
pardo cum labell'		
Discus arg' magnus conf'	pond'	0 55 6
Duo disci arg' magni pro interf-	} pond' utriusque,	0 35 2
culis non sign'		
Duo disci arg' magni conf'	} pond' utriusque,	0 35 9
Unus discus arg' magnus conf'	pond'	0 35 3
Unus discus arg' magnus conf'	pond'	0 35 5
13 falsar' arg' sign' cum uno' leo-	} pond' cujuslibet,	0 8 4
pardo extra in fund'		
58 falsar' arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet,	0 8 3
21 falsar' arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet,	0 8 1
25 falsar' arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet,	0 8 0
13 falsar' arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet,	0 7 9
13 falsar' arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet,	0 7 11
7 falsar' arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet,	0 7 7
Unum saltar' arg' conf'	pond'	0 8 8
6 saltar' arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet,	0 7 6
Unum saltar' arg' conf'	pond'	0 8 5
Unum saltar' arg' conf'	pond'	0 8 9
Una navis arg' cum 4 rot' & i ca-		
pite dracon' deaur' ad utrumque	} pond'	12 7 4
finem ejusdem navis,		
Olla arg' magna costata [n] pro		
elem' [o] cum capite regis ex una	} pond'	15 13 4
parte & capite epi' ex altera,		
13 disci arg' sign' extra in bordur'	} pond'	14 19 0
de arm' de Harcla.	} prec'	16 0 0

[n] Q. ribbed, though not in this sense in the Glossaries.

[o] Q. for the consecrated elements as in the Inventory of Henry V. Rot. Parl. IV. 222. "1 boiste pur le sacrament depesche."

2 plat'

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		£.	s.	d.	
2	plat' arg' pro spe'bus aymell' [p] } in fundo de arm' regis Anglie.	pond' utriusque,	31	8	
		} prec' utriusque,	36	8	
2	pelvis arg' deaur' aym' in fundo de arm' Angl' & Franc' quarum	} pond' 6 <i>l.</i> 1 <i>s.</i> prec' 6	11	0	
	una cum tuello.	}			
6	disci novi non signati,	pond' 7 <i>l.</i> 1 <i>s.</i> prec' 8	0	0	
Salare arg' aymell' per totum de di- versis babewynis & oiselettis [q],	} pond'	0	46	8	
	} prec' 7 marc.	}			
Plat' arg' pro spe'bus [r] cum bordui' ingravat' & deaur' de chaceis [s],	} pond'	0	50	10	
	} prec'	0	64	2	
15	coclear' arg' sign' de uno leo- pardo extra,	} pond'	0	23	9
Calix arg' deaur' & ingravat'	pond'	0	28	4	
Calix arg' deaur',	pond'	0	46	8	
2	cruetti arg' deaur' cum lapidibus & albis perlis,	} pond'	0	13	1
3	portifor' de usu Sarum.				
2	missalia notata de eodem usu.				
Unum gradale notatum de eodem usu.					
Una casula de panno de ferico rub' cum tunic' dalmatic', 2 cap choral', 3 alb', 3 amit'. 2 stol', 3 phanon' [t] de fecta [u].					
2 frontal' de panno viridi de Turkie [x] lineat' de cardia India [y].					

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Burkley

(t) q Towel on  
forest brm

[p] "Esmailles en les founces ove armes." Rot. Parl. IV. 222.

[9] Baboons and little birds.

[r] Spice dishes. Inventory of H. V. Ib. 227. [s] Hunting matches.

[*i*] A kind of altar cloth or napkin. Du Cange, v. *Fanon*. [*ii*] Of a suit.

[x] *Pannus Turquinus* & *Drap Turquois* are found in Charpentier, who ex-

*Corda Indica*, *Corda Indica coloris*, *Eg. corda crebra* *Eg. Indica*, occurs in inventories.

*Curda India, Curda Indiæ coloris, & curda crebro & Indio*, occur in inventories of church furniture in Du Cange, but without explanation. Charpentier adds, it seems a sort of cloth. Its use here is for lining. In the Inventory of the Wardrobe of Henry V. (Rot. Parl. IV. 231.) we have "ii Materaez de "Garde."

q cotton

Una

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*Corporas case*      Una casula cum tunic' dalmatic' de panno albo de serico lineat' de cindone viridi.

Unum pulvinar' de panno de serico radiato.

Una cass' pro corporali de samite broudato cum corporali in eadem.

Una cass' pro corporali de panno de serico antiquo cum corporali in eadem.

Unu' tuell' pro altari cum j parur' de samite indio broudat' de diversis capit'.

2 tuall' pro altari sine parur'.

6 superpellicia de tela.

2 tuall' curt' pro capella.

Unum superaltare [z] lapideum.

2 cap. chori de una secta de quodam panno de Nassik [a] poudr' de griffon' & pavon'.

3 superpellicia de tela.

Unum psalterium bonum coopertum de panno de serico, alumpn' [b] de auro & azura.

Olla argenti pro buttillar'	pond'	113s.
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Olla argenti conf'	pond'	112s.
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Olla argenti.	pond'	66s. 5d.
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9 cippi arg' de cursu [c],	pond' cujuilibet,	13s. 7d.
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3 cophin' de corio ferro ligat' pro ollis predictis.

Unus cophinus de corio pro quodam tripode j cippi.

Unus cophinus de corio pro ciphis arg' predictis.

2 pann'a [d] nigra, ferro ligat' pro officio buttillarie.

[z] Du Cange explains *superaltare* either by *ciborium*, or a portable altar. In this instance the epithet *lapideum* must mean "made of precious stones."

[a] Neither Du Cange nor Charpentier have this term.

[b] Charpentier gives *allumena* e for *iluminare* in the sense of lighting candles; here it is used in the sense of ornamenting by painting.

[c] Of course, qu. in common use or ordinary.

[d] *Pannaria*, baskets.

Pelvis

illuminated  
— minded

	l. s. d.
Pelvis arg' profunda & rotunda pro camera d'ni regis,	} pond' 76s. 8d.
Unum lavater' argenti,	pond' 0 60 9
Pelvis arg' alb' & ingravat' in fundo' de arm' d'ni E. fil' E. regis [e],	} pond' 0 67 10
j dorsor' [f], 2 coster' [g], j banquer' [h] pro' aula de arm' d'nor E. & I. [i] fip Rs.	
j foccus de corio pro eisdem intrussand'.	
j dorsorium, 2 coster' j banquer' pro aula mastulat' [k] de arm' com' Lanc' Heref' & Pembr'.	
j foccus de corio pro' eisdem intrussand'.	
Unu' morter' eneu' cum j pilo ferr' pro officio s'pear'	
Unum pondus eneum de 16 marcis in precijs pro minutis rebus ponder'.	
Unum par balancium.	
j anser [l] pro grossis ponderibus.	

[e] With the arms of Edward the Black Prince.

[f] Q. hangings for the back of a bed or chair, or of walls in general. Charpentier in voce. In the Inventory of Henry V's Wardrobe (Rot. Parl. IV. 232.) occur "1 Dosser d'Arras d'or veill" with historics, p. 234, "1 dosser over ii  
" costers de worsted rouge pur le sale," p. 217, "1 dosser de baudekyn d'or,"  
p. 241, "1 dosser pur un sale."

[g] A kind of hanging for beds or walls. Du Cange from an inventory of the king's chapel at Westminster. Mon. Ang. III. iii. 81 & Madox, Formul. Ang. 432. In the Inventory of Henry V's Wardrobe (Rot. Parl. II. 230.) we have "1 banker d'Arras overe de divers ymages, qui commence en l'es-  
" criptur' Jeo vous aymé localment." Others, p. 232, "faunz or," others of Arras, p. 233.

[h] Q. Hangings or coverings for benches or seats joined with *tapetes* in Fleta, II. 11, Du Cange in voce. In the Inventory of Henry V.'s Wardrobe (Rotul. Parl. IV. 231.) we find "1 coster deworsted vermaille," others with scripture and emblematic histories, Ib. p. 232. They seem from the subjects to have been appropriated to chapels.

[i] The arms of the Black Prince and his brother John of Gaunt.

[k] Q. maculat' q. d. spotted.

[l] Not in the Glossaries.

B

j coff'

+ 1 back piece  
2 side pieces  
+ 1 back  
2 sides  
for trussing  
? green  
? Speciarie  
bilancium  
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Loyal or Loyal

Their right be  
but the ornate  
of their drinke  
ing rooms  
Various  
Gent May 1789  
1078

L. s. d.

j coffr' stand' pro offic' candelar'.		
6 patelle eris.		
2 magne olle eris.		
j parva olla eris vetus & fracta.		
j patella ferri pro friatura [m].		
4 broch' ferri magni [n?].		
j craticula vetus & fracta quasi nullius valoris.		
2 turnar' ferri.		
j securis pro busca secanda.		
2 magne bulgee [o] pro discis arg' intrussandis.		
2 besar' [p] de corio pro discis arg' intrussandis.		
j bulgea de corio cum crochett'.		
Unum calefactorium eris pro offic' aquar'.		
j pax deosculator' arg' aym' cum uno crucifixo, pond' o 28 4		
2 barell' [q] arg' deaur' cum zonis } pond' in toto o 40 0 argenti minutis,		
Plat' de jaspide pro spe'bus cum } pede argent' & circumfer' d'ce } pond' in toto, o 60 0 plat' cum lapid' & perlis,		

Una puchea [r] de canabo' sign' sigillo epi' Exon' [s] Thes'  
que intitulatur sic ; " Clavis interioris camere juxta aulam  
nigram in Turri London' ubi jocalia Thesauri regis privata  
reponuntur."

[m] In Henry V's Inventory, p. 222, we have " 1 frying panne, 1 skilse  
" (slice) and 1 ladell d'argent."

[n.] Spits, gridirons, and other kitchen furniture, are not omitted in the inventory of Henry V. Rot. Parl. IV. 241.

[o] *Bulgo*, a Gaulish word for a leather bag. Festus & Du Cange in v.

[p] Sic orig. Q. for *befac'* *besaccia*, a wallet. Du Cange in v.

[q] A barrell, 1b. *Barillus*. Wardrobe account of Ed. I.

[r] A pouch. Du Cange, v. *Pouchea*. *Pucbe*, Invent. of Henry V. Rot. Parl. IV. 238.

[s] Walter Stapledon, 1307—1326.

Una

"Una parva bursa linea sign' sigillis d'orum Rogeri de Northburgh [z] & Rogeri de Waltham [u] cui appenditur una cedula que sic inscribitur." In ista puchea continentur claves de cruce Gneyth [x] existent' in capella infra Turrim London' ubi memoralia regis que sunt in custodia thes' & camerar' de scaccario sub clavibus eorumdem existunt.'

De Jocalibus & Vessellamentis argenti & alijs receptis de D'no Will'mo Cusance [y].

Coquilla cum pede & cooperculo arg' deaur' & aymell' de dono Walteri Reynaud archiepi' Cantuar' [z].

Coquilla cum pede & cooperculo arg' deaur' & aymell' de dono D'ni Johi's de Hastings.

Lavator' arg' deaur' & aym' ad modum Cirene [a] de dono Johis' } pond' de Vanne,

○ 59 2

[z] Clerk, Rymer, III. 406. keeper of the great seal, and taken by the Scots 1313, keeper of the wardrobe to Edward II. 1316. Ib. 347. archdeacon of Richmond, 1318. Ib. 698. recommended by the king to the pope the same year, (Ib. 733. 762.) for the prebend of Wistow in the church of York, 1319, (Ib. 776, 1320, 846.) when he was secretary to the king, who wished to get him a cardinal's hat, (Ib. 849. 887.) and made bishop of Lichfield, (Ib. 920. 921.) in which last suit he succeeded, 1322. Ib. 333. 948. Godwin speaks unfavourably of his ambition. He filled the see 38 years, and died 1359.

[u] Keeper of the forfeited lands in Staffordshire, 1322, 13 Edw. II. Rymer, III. 963, and of the wardrobe from 15 to 17 Edw. II. his account of which in 300 pages is in the hands of Mr. Astle.

[x] Of this cross see the Glossary to the Wardrobe account of Edward I. to which add that Edward I. granted to the ten persons who brought back to him at Conway that piece of the wood of the cross which the Welsh called *Crofenneyst*, and which Lewellin late prince of Wales and his predecessors princes of Wales had, exemption from following his army in any expedition out of the four Cantreds. (Rymer III. 247.)

[y] Of him see Rymer, IV. 119. 549. 624. He was a canon of Ripon, Ib. 698. 620. He was employed to negotiate a loan for Edward III. 1340, Ib. V. 172, and to borrow wool for him 1347. (Ib. 583.) He is called keeper of the wardrobe 1341, (Ib. 256. 276.) Treasurer 1342 and 1343, (Ib. 342. 381.)

[z] 1313—1327 Lord Chancellor and Treasurer. [a] Sirenes, a Siren.

*de oraye  
croix*

*Vaisselles 12*

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*Ensis garnit' de velvetto nigro cum zona stipata argenti  
deaur' & aymell'.*

*De Vesselamentis argenti dat' d'no regis per diversos mag-  
nates tam in partibus scismarinis quam transmarinis per vices  
anno tertio videlicet,*

*L. s. d.*

*Ciphus arg' deaur' camoc' & aym'  
in fund' infra & extra & circum-  
fer' de diversis best' [b] cum tri-  
pode triangulat', aym' cum  
ymag' trium regum Angl' Franc' pond'*      6   6   8  
& Ispan' dat' d'no regi per re-  
ginam [c] Ispan' apud Turrim  
London' 10 die Februar' anno  
tercio.

*Aquar' arg' deaur' triang' & aym'  
de ymag' trium regum Dan-  
march' Alem' & Aragon' de dono pond'*      0   68   0  
ejusdem regine ibidem eodem  
die,

*Ciphus arg' conf' deaur' & aymell'  
extra per totum & infra in fundo  
de avibus minutis cum pede  
& cooperculo dat' dono regi per pond'*      0   104   10  
Abbatem de Cluny, apud Am-  
bian' [d] 8 die Jun' anno pre-  
sente tercio,

[b] *Bestiis.*

[c] *Joan eldest daughter of Edward III. espoused by proxy to Alfonso III.  
king of Arragon, who died 1291 before solemnization.*

[d] *Amiens.*

*Aquar'*

L. s. d.

Aquar' arg' de eadem secta dat' ei-  
dem d'no regi per dictum abba- } pond'  
tem ibidem eodem die,

• 59 4

Ciphus auri cum pede & cooper-  
culo cum 4 scuch' de arm',  
j leonelli in fundo pomell' &  
summo cooperculi dat' d'no regi } pond'  
per com' March' apud Wygge-  
more 6 die Sept'

• 51 2

Aquar' arg' deaur' & aym' per  
partes construct' ad mod' J. ha-  
nonens'[e] cum cap' lapid' equi-  
tant' balewyno dat' d'no regi } pond'  
per eundem com. ibidem eodem  
die,

• 59 7

(e) M

Aquar' auri dat' d'no regi per  
d'unam reginam Ispan' apud Wyn- } pond'  
des' 3 die Febr. anno tertio,

• 31 10

De Jocalibus, Vessellamentis auri & argenti, & alijs receptis  
de venerabili patre d'no Thom' Hereforden' Epo' Thes' &  
Camerar' de scaccario per j indenturam cuius dat' est apud  
Westm' 22 die Jan' a°. 3<sup>io</sup>. vid'z.

11, 12

Unus ciphus auri ponder' p' pond' sterlingi,      o 64 7  
Aquar' arg' planus deaur' & aymell' } pond' 2 marc' 2 unc' 10  
in cooperculo,                                } prec'                            o 50 1

Tres' disci arg' sign' cum uno } pond' cujuslibet, o 28 8  
parvo leopardo extra in bordur'

(e) B

[e] Thomas Charlton 1327—1340.

3 Disci

Hereford, why Hanover

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3 Disci arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 28 7
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11 Disci arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 28 3
19 Disci arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 28 2
15 Disci arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 28 1
44 Disci arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 28 0
17 Disci arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 27 11
22 Disci arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 27 10
28 Disci arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 27 9
27 Disci arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 27 8
21 Disci arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 27 7
20 Disci arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 27 6
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11 Disci arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 27 4
4 Disci arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 27 3
6 Disci arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 27 2
j Discus arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 27 1
4 Disci arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 26 10
j Discus arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 26 7
j Discus arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 26 6
3 Salsar' arg' cum uno parvo leo-	} pond' cujuslibet, 0 8 8
pardo extra in bordur'	
2 Salsar' arg' conf'	pond' utriusque, 0 8 7
3 Salsar' arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 8 6
8 Salsar' arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 8 5
20 Salsar' arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 8 4
19 Salsar' arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 8 3
40 Salsar' arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 8 2
	67 Salsar'

	L. s. d.
67 Salfar' arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 8 1
57 Salfar' arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 8 0
31 Salfar' arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 7 11
18 Salfar' arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 7 10
7 Salfar' arg' conf'	pond' cujuslibet, 0 7 9
2 Salfar' arg' conf'	pond' utriusque, 0 7 8
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j Salfar' arg' conf'	pond' 0 7 6

De Jocalibus & Vessellamentis auri & argenti receptis de  
venerabili patre D'no Thoma Epo' Heref' Thef' & Camerar'  
de scaccario per unam indenturam cuius dat' est apud Westm'  
20 die Maij anno tercio, videl't.

Ciphus arg' cum triper' [f] deaur' } pond' 5 marc' 30d.  
& aym' in loseng' } prec' 119s. 6d.

Ciphus argenti conf' cum trifler' [f] } pond' 5 marc' 10d.  
fracto, } prec' 6l. 1s. 3d.

Plat' arg' pro spe'bus cum [g] coo- } pond' 10 marc' 2 unc'  
percuso ay'm infra & extra cum j } prec' 21l.  
coclear' arg' deaur' & aym' infra,

Aquar' arg' deaur' vinetar' & fe- } pond' 5 marc' 22d.  
minatus de aymell' } prec' 7l. os. 7d.

Aquar' arg' deaur' camoc' & ay- } pond' 2 marc' 2 unc' 18d.  
mell' in pomell' } prec' 63s. 4d.

Aquar' arg' de eadem secta, pond' 24s. prec' 47s.

Aquar' arg' planus deaur' & aym' } pond' 2 marc' 4 unc'  
in cooperculo, } prec' 64s.

[f] Triflorium, a border. Du Cange.

[g] Espice plate. Invent. of Henry V. Rot. Parl. IV. 212.

Aquar'

Aquar' arg' de eadem secta,	{ pond' 2 marc' 5 unc' 4d. } prec' 67s. 11d.
Aquar' argenti de eadem secta,	{ pond' 2 marc' 5 unc' 2d. ob. } prec' 52s. 2d.
Aquar' argenti de eadem secta,	{ pond' 1 marc' 1 unc' & di' } prec' 26s. 6d.
Olla argenti deaur' & seminat' de aymell'	{ pond' 5 marc' 2 unc' 10d. } prec' 7l. os. 8d.
Ciphus arg' deaur' camoc' & ay- mell' in fundo & pomell'	{ pond' 4 marc' 4 unc' 5d. } prec' 100s. 7d.
Ciphus argenti de eadem secta,	{ pond' 64s. 2d. } prec' 6l. 8s. 4d.
Ciphus arg' de eadem secta,	{ pond' 46s. 2d. } prec' 4l. 12s.
Ciphus argenti de eadem secta,	{ pond' 5 marc' 27d. ob. } prec' 115s.
Ciphus argenti de eadem secta,	{ pond' 5 marc' 6 unc' & di' } prec' 7l. 15s.
Ciphus argenti de eadem secta,	{ pond' 3 marc' 4 unc' 7d. } prec' 4l. os. 3d.
Ciphus argenti de eadem secta,	{ pond' 2 marc' 7 unc' 10d. } prec' 65s. 4d.
Ciphus argenti de eadem secta,	{ pond' 2 marc' 7 unc' 10d. } prec' 65s.
Ciphus argenti deaur' planus extra & camocatus infra,	{ pond' 3 marc' 2 unc' 5d. } prec' 4l. 7s. 6d.
Ciphus arg' deaur' castell' & ca' m'oc infra & extra,	{ pond' 2 marc' 6 unc' 13d. } prec' 13s.
Ciphus argenti deaur' & chisellatus de granis,	{ pond' 4 marc' 2 unc' 15d. } prec' 102s. 3d.

Ciphus

Ciphus argenti deaur' camoc' &	pond' 3 marc' 3d.	16
tall' de babewyn'	prec' 6 marc' 6d.	
Ciphus argenti de eadem secta,	pond' 3 marc' di' 10d.	7
	prec' 7 marc' 20d.	
Ciphus arg' deaur' cum 6 coster'	pond' 3 marc' 4d.	9
& pomell' de fementar'	prec' 71s. 2d.	
Due pelves arg' cum bordur' deaur'	pond' 7l. 11s. 4d.	1
& aym' in fundo infra utrumque	prec' 10l. 4s. 8d.	
de j leone in medio,		
Due pelves argenti deaur' quarum	pond' 8l. 5s.	9
j aym' in fundo de j venatore &	prec' 11l. 5s.	
& altera de j sagittar'		
Due pelves arg' deaur' in bordur'	pond' 14 marc' 6 unc' 4d.	1
aym' in fundo de arm' Angl'	prec' 17l. 13s. 2d.	
quarum una cum gutta'		
Due pelves arg' cum tuell' deaur' &	pond' 8 marc'	9
aymell' in fundo de diversis bestijs,	prec' 8l. 4s.	
Due pelves arg' deaur' in bordur'	pond' 8l. 16s.	1
& aym' in fundo utraque cum	prec' 12l. 2s. 8d.	
j leopardo & dracone,		
Due pelves arg' deaur' in bordur'	pond' 14 marc' 6 unc' 3d. ob.	1
& aym' in fundo de arm' Angl'	prec' 17l. 13s. 2d.	
quarum una cum gutta'		
j nuch' auri cum 3 saphir' de	prec' 20 marc'	not garnished but garnetted q
orient'e 2 rub' garnit' de rubeis,		
admirald' & perlis,		
Firmaculum auri cum rub' & ad-	prec' 40s.	
mirald'		

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j Ciphus auri cum pede & cooper-	} pond' 65s. 8d. per 10l. le marc'
culo costellatus garnitus de ay-	
mell' clari coloris detraumes [b]	
& deguttatus [i],	} prec' in toto, 49l. 5s.
Ciphus auri cum pede & cooper-	
culo aym' clari coloris cum j ba-	} pond' 4l. 16s. 11d. prec' 71l. 11s. 9d.
lasio in summitate cooperculi,	
5 Coclear' auri,	} pond' 10s. 10d. prec' 9l. 12s. 6d.

*bulas verby*

One of the first lists of our crown jewels is contained in the letter of Margaret queen of France to her brother Henry III. of England, dated 1261, when they were lodged in the church of the knights templars at Paris [k], which the said king gave his queen Eleanor power to dispose of, 1264 [l].

There is a list of those belonging to Edward I. in his wardrobe account published by this Society.

The next in order of time are those of Edward II. which with other effects came into the hands of Thomas earl of Lancaster at Newcastle, and were taken back by commissioners appointed 6 Edward II. 1313 [m].

Mr. Astle has in the account of Roger de Waltham keeper of the great wardrobe between 15 and 17 of this reign a list of the jewels and plate as well remaining in the king's wardrobe in the custody of divers officers of the king's household.

A long inventory of jewels and plate delivered by the executors of Henry V. to John Stafford, High Treasurer of Eng-

[b]

[i] Spotted with drops.

[k] Rymer, I. 370.

[l] Ib. 780. 878.

[m] Ib. III. 387. 388.

land,

Iland, afterwards archbishop of Canterbury, is printed in the Rolls of Parliament of the reign of Henry VI. IV. 215.

Richard de Bury was a native of Bury St. Edmund's, educated at Oxford, at the charge of his uncle Willoughby, and for his eminent qualifications appointed preceptor to Edward III. while prince, treasurer to Edward II. in Gascoine, in which character he supplied his queen Isabel with money against her husband. Her son on his accession appointed him his cofferer, keeper of his wardrobe and of the privy seal, which last office he held five years, and was one of those present in the garden of Newenham priory near Bedford 1328, when Edward III. re-delivered the great seal to the bishop of Lincoln (Henry Burgherſt) who had just before surrendered it into the king's wardrobe [n]. The king, 1330, solicited the pope to bestow on him the prebends held by Gilbert de Middleton, archdeacon of Northampton, in the churches of Hereford, London, and Chichester [o], but these preferments seem to have been previously engaged; for Bury was collated to the archdeaconry of Northampton on Middleton's death 1330, but seems to have been put by for Peter de St. Stephen, a Roman Cardinal [p]; was prebendary of Lincoln 1330, which benefice he exchanged for a prebend of Exeter [q], and held one at Lichfield in the same year [r]. In the above recommendation the king calls him his "beloved clerk and secretary, whom he knew to be a man, *in confiliis providum, conversationis & vitæ munditia decorum, literarum scientia præditum, & in agendis qui-*

[n] Rymer, IV. 374.

[o] Ib. 462.

[p] Willis Linc. 110.

[q] Ib. 148.

[r] Ib. 436.

*buslibet circumspetum.*" He was sent on a commission to the pope 1331 [s] and 1333, being then secretary to the king, was recommended to the pope's nephews [t]. He was promoted to the see of Durham 1333, being at the time of his promotion to it dean of Wells, and after it Chancellor of England 1334, and Treasurer 1335, and dying 1345, was buried in his church at Durham where he sat 11 years. How well he deserved his character for *literature* will be seen by his liberal endowment of a library at Durham college at Oxford, after he became bishop of Durham, to which by his will he left his books, which were more than all the other bishops in England possessed, and had been collected by him at no small expence [u]. Petrarch, who met him at the pope's court of Avignon, calls him *vir ardenti ingenii*, and held a correspondence with him about his library and collections. See his Philobiblon, finished 1344, published by Dr. James at Oxford 1599, and Warton's Second Dissertation in his History of English Poetry. His charity to the poor and liberality to his church may be seen in Godwin, p. 749.

Thomas de Garton, who succeeded in the office of keeper of the wardrobe, was one of the persons appointed to assist the bishops in removing the religious and receiving their property when the alien priories were seized into the king's hands 1324, 18 Ed. II. and assisted the bishop of Lincoln in Huntingdonshire [x].

[s] Rymer, Ib. 502.

[t] Ib. 548.

[u] Hist. and Antiq. of Oxford, II. 48.

[x] Rymer, IV. 96, 97.

